

## Irma 4H Beef Club Achievement Day, Tuesday, June 11th

### Twenty Students Graduate From Irma High School

On the afternoon of Thursday, May 30, the auditorium of the Irma school was beautifully decorated with blue and white streamers, blue, red and silver stars and balloons for the first formal graduation exercises ever held here.

Also, the class of eleven girls and nine boys was the largest ever since Irma high school had its beginning.

The Rev. H. W. Inglis, the principal Mr. D. H. Gunn and Miss Touchette took their places on the stage and the 20 graduates came in. The girls were all very charming in their white gowns, while the boys looked very smart in dark suits and off by white shirts and bow ties.

O Canada was sung and Mr. Inglis offered prayer. Mr. Gunn gave the address of welcome and stressed the two most important episodes in life — our starting and finishing school. He told of his satisfaction in seeing these young folk go on into the world and trusting that they would stress the moral and spiritual values rather than the physical and material and so help to strengthen Christian democracy.

Miss Touchette then introduced the graduates and presented each with a symbolic diploma. These are the names of these young people as introduced:

Leslie Ballentine, Bruce Bridgeman, Charlie Cairns, Nellie Cairns, Maureen Dempsey, Joan Fleming, Hugh Inglis, Shirley Jones, Gordon Lovig, Marjorie Matthews, James McDuff, Chair Prior, Verla Prior, Wayne Pendleton, Lorraine Smallwood, Marian Smallwood, Della Symington, Alice Tomlinson, Regine Van Hytte and Daniel Van Hytte.

Mr. F. Hill then came forward and on behalf of the school board expressed pleasure at this happy occasion and reminded the class that 100 percent effort would get you along nicely in this world but if you wanted distinction, 105 percent was necessary.

Charlie Cairns, on behalf of the graduates then welcomed the friends and relatives present and expressed thanks to the teachers, parents and the Irma school board for the opportunities offered young people at the Irma school.

Regine Van Hytte then read a highly entertaining class prophecy. Regine and her brother Daniel came to us from Belgium not so many years ago and it is most gratifying to note how beautifully they speak the English language.

Leslie Ballentine was the class Valedictorian and expressed the hope that one and all the graduates would prove worthy of the opportunities so generously provided in our school here.

Lorraine Smallwood then read the "Class Will." This was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Glasgow's music class sang three beautiful numbers. Everyone was delighted with the lovely tone effects given by this group. Mrs. Glasgow deserves much credit for the time and effort she has given to produce such good results.

Then the graduating class pre-

sented a boutonniere to Mr. Gunn and corsages to Miss Touchette, Mrs. Ballentine and Mrs. Glasgow.

A delicious lunch was served by the HSA. In the evening the Prom dance was held. This year outside schools were not invited. Instead, parents and friends at Irma were the graduates' guests. Everyone reported a splendid evening. Altogether Irma High's first formal graduation was a great success.

### Guest Missionary At Convention

REV. D. GRANT CROOKS, Rev. D. Grant Crooks, Africa, will be the guest missionary at the annual missionary convention being held this year from June 6-9 in the Irma Alliance church. Rev. Crooks has spent several years among the Black Bobo people who repeatedly called for a resident missionary. He has made extensive geographic and linguistic surveys of both the northern and southern frontiers of this large tribe and has worked tirelessly in the translation of the Scriptures and the Bible.

Rev. Crooks will be showing 35 m.m. slides of his adopted country and work, and will also be displaying native curios and costumes. The services are being held each week-night at 8 p.m. and on Sunday morning at 10:30 and 11:30. Everyone is very cordially invited to these challenging meetings.

### CHURCH SERVICES

**ALLIANCE CHURCH**  
Friday, Saturday, 8 p.m. Missionary Convention with Rev. D. G. Crooks. Costumes, Slides, Curios, Messages.  
Sunday, 10:30 and 11:30 a.m. Rev. D. G. Crooks.  
Tuesday, June 11, 8 p.m. — Cottage Prayer meeting.  
Rev. L. D. Sheardson.

### UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, June 9  
Albert Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Paschendale Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Irma Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Worship service 11:30 a.m. Come and worship.  
Rev. H. W. Inglis, Minister.

### Southern Sayings

We are sorry to report that Mr. P. H. Funk is a patient in the Wainwright hospital. We all wish her a speedy recovery.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cairns of Tees was up last Thursday for the graduation ceremonies. On Friday they visited their old neighbors.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Armitage and Doris were visitors at the J. Jackson home last Sunday.  
Next W.I. meeting will be held on June 20 at the home of Mrs. P. Funk. Hostesses, Mrs. H. Long and Mrs. Dawson.  
Raffie, Mrs. E. Tomlinson and Mrs. Wes Bacon.

### Card of Thanks

I would like to express my sincere thanks to all those who sent cards, letters, fruit and flowers and those who visited me in hospital. Special thanks to Mrs. Pendleton for taking me to and from the hospital and visiting the several times, as well as helping so much since I came home. — E. L. Marshall.

### Journey to Hawaii

by Mrs. A. P. Firkus  
(Continued from May 24)

Toured a coffee plant, where they wash, crack and dry the beans which are then sorted to size for proper roasting and shipment. The coffee beans are dried on cement floors out in the sun where men keep raking them to turn them. They have electric dryers but do more sun drying as it is so much cheaper and incidentally, though they grow the coffee here, it is practically the same price that we pay. Visited two very old churches where the priest painted pictures all over the walls and pillars to interpret the meaning of the Bible to the natives. In the morning we visited the summer home of the royal Hawaiian Palace, which is preserved as a museum, with quite a bit of the earlier furnishings still there. In the dining room is a beautiful Kona wood table over 6 ft. in diameter made of one slab cut from a tree trunk where the King practically gambled away the island as he was a terrible gambler. There was also a beautiful music box which Robert Louis Stevenson gave to the Princess in 1884.

In the afternoon we boarded a plane for Honolulu, then on to Kure, the garden tale, called that because of its very lush growth the whole year round and with the large cane and pineapple fields. It is the most beautiful of the islands. The cane and pineapple fields on these islands are owned by about 12 owners privately or as corporations. The trip today took us into cane fields where we saw the fields which were burnt first to remove as many as possible of the dry leaves, then bulldozed in rows, where the giant cranes loaded trucks which take the cane to the sugar mills to be refined.

We took a drive up the Waimea Canyon where at the Lookout you can see down 3600 ft. It is quite beautiful, very much like some of the Canyon in the U.S. where it is dry. Then we went on to the Kalulu Lookout where you are on a cliff and look down the canyon and the most very pretty spot as they get quite a bit of rain. The average rainfall is approximately 10 inches yearly but higher in the mountains they have an unusual heavy rainfall of about 80 inches. The foliage is so heavy that you can't get through without a hatchet.

On the way back we stopped to see the Spouting Horn, which is caused by the ocean surging under the lava rock on the beach and shooting through a hole made by the ocean to a very great height, forming a geyser and producing a very loud roar. Most evenings all along our tour we had hula entertainment and were given hula dancing lessons. This day we took a boat trip up the Waiala River to the Fern Grotto where the ferns grow hanging down from the roof of the cave their back to the shore line and we went northward, through rice paddies and taro fields to the most northerly point of all the islands and to the Kailash Lighthouse, largest of its kind and back to the airport for a trip back to Honolulu.  
(Concluded Next Week)

### Northern Nuggets

Baby Ronnie Marchand spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clisdel. Judging from appearances it was a truly happy time for all.  
News was received on Sunday of the sudden passing of Mr. Keith (Pete) Goodfellow at his home in Kempenfelt, Ont. Mrs. Goodfellow is the former Helen Currie of the Irma district. Our sympathy goes out to Helen and her two little boys in their bereavement.  
Keith Currie, attending Young People's Week at the University in Edmonton.  
Red mosses have finally made their unseasonable appearance and we are afraid June will be a trying time for some of our little folk.

Mrs. C. L. Currie left on Wednesday a.m. bus to attend the funeral in Edmonton of her brother-in-law Mr. W. J. Brickman who passed away on Monday.

### Receives Degree

Jack Dubuz of Irma has received his Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture after completing four years at the University of Alberta. He received a fellowship from the U. of A. of \$1500 the first year and \$1800 the second, is available to him. Jack is a graduate of the Vermilion School of Agriculture, where he received a scholarship to attend University.

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### Irma W.I. Notes

Have you got your Home Baked Bread ready for the contest on Saturday, June 8 in the Legion Hall? Stay and enjoy a cup of tea after you have brought in your entry.

The Ladies Rest Room has now been re-opened. Mothers with small children will appreciate this.

### HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The Irma HSA will meet on Tuesday, June 11 in the school at 8:15 p.m. Mrs. Stan Murray will present a report on the HSA convention which was held in Edmonton and there will also be a discussion on community influences. All the members are urged to be present at the meeting.

### EASTERLY ECHOES

The Battle River W.I. ladies would like to take this opportunity to say Thank You to those who patronized their Bazaar Sale on Saturday.

The next meeting of the Battle River W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Savard on Wednesday, June 12 at 2:30. Hostesses, Mrs. Savard and Mrs. Mackay. Program, Mrs. Veer. Draw, Mrs. Savard. Roll Call, Ideas of How to Celebrate the 10th Anniversary of our W.I. Milt Younker, A. Cooks, F. Crabbs and Dootson families picnicked at Blackburn Lake on Sunday.

Roseberry FUA held their regular meeting at Roseberry hall Tuesday. After considerable discussion it was decided they wouldn't have their annual picnic this year. As the Roseberry Ball Club is holding a tournament June 23, they decided to extend to that, having the usual two booths in operation on the grounds.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to those who sent floral tributes, cards and messages of sympathy to us during our recent bereavement. Special thanks to the Rev. I. Holter and the Rev. H. Inglis to choir, the members of the Junior W.A. and to those kind friends who assisted in the preparations at the cemetery.  
G. W. Hardy, Allen, Ivan and Catherine.  
The Herrick families.

Alexandra Falls on Hay River near Great Slave Lake provides a scenic thrill for motorists on the Mackenzie Highway north of the Peace River.

### Funeral Service for Mrs. F. W. Hardy Held From Irma United Church

Funeral services were held on Monday, May 27 at 2:30 p.m. in the Irma United Church for the late Mrs. Myrtle Fern (Daisy) Hardy of Minburn. Mrs. Hardy passed away in the Minburn hospital on May 23 after a long illness. Services were conducted by Rev. H. W. Inglis and Rev. I. Holter of Minburn. Interment was in the Irma Cemetery and Messrs. Haakon Larson, Keith Currie, Robin Johnson, John Burns, Claude Ramsey and Wm. Patterson acted as pallbearers.

Mrs. Hardy was born in Markham, Ont. on December 27, 1889. She was the daughter of John and Mary Anne Herrick. Mrs. Hardy came to Edmonton with her parents in 1908. She lived there until 1935 when she moved to the Irma district.

In 1937 she was united in marriage to Mr. George W. Hardy of Irma. She and her husband continued to live in the Albert district until 1947 when they moved to Minburn.

Mrs. Hardy was active in W.I. and W.A. work. She will be greatly missed by her relatives and friends.

She leaves to mourn her passing, her loving husband, one sister, Mrs. Mary Lavell, of Calgary, four brothers, Charlie, Jack and Howard Herrick, all of Minburn and Will Herrick of Chicago; one nephew, Mr. Charles Pollock of Calgary; two step sons, Alton and Ivan Hardy of Irma and six grandchildren.

Beautiful floral tributes were received from: The Family; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herrick; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herrick and family, Chicago; Mr. W. Avery and family, Lacombe; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Herrick, Kamloops, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Denais, Minburn.

Mrs. Ivan Hardy and grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Radomski and girls, Peace River; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Currie and Keith; Mrs. Ivan Currie; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ink and family; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jones and family; Mrs. Eva Moore; Mrs. A. McRoberts; Mr. and Mrs. Stan Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. John Moore; Mr. and Mrs. Dick McRoberts; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Revill; Mrs. Melba family; Mrs. Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thomas; Mrs. Colter and Mrs. Morrison, Minburn; Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller and Roger, Minburn; Minburn community; Mr. and Mrs. Burns and family; Mrs. A. E. Winkfield; Mr. and Mrs. F. Fulton; Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce, all of Minburn.

To Minburn United Church Memorial Fund from Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anthony; Minburn W.I.; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rustad and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Peck and girls; Mr. A. L. Denais; Mr. and Mrs. J. Kufeldt; Mr. and Mrs. Art Larcombe; Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Atwell; Mr. and Mrs. F. Peck; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cowell; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rustad; Mr. and Mrs. Kat and Maxine; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hay, Minburn; Minburn community.

To Canadian Cancer Society from Mr. C. Z. Nichols; Mrs. E. Elliott; Mr. J. McFadden; Mrs. W. A. Bruce; Mrs. H. Gray; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Winkfield; Mr. and Mrs. F. Fulton; Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce, all of Minburn.

To the Cancer Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Robin Johnson and Bob Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. C. Harley Barnes and family; Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes; Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Larson; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Robert; Mrs. Victor Larson; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Currie and family.

To the Irma United Church Memorial Fund from Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Milne; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Charter; Mr. and Mrs. A. Cox; Mr. and Mrs. Ron Clark; Mr. and Mrs. Ron Currie; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Prosser.

To the Alberta Protestant Home for Children from Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pyle and family; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ramsey and family.

Donations to W.I. cemetery fund in memory from Erling and Goldie Larson; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ramsey; Mr. and Mrs. A. Fleming; Mrs. J. Fleming; Rick and Beanie Larson; Mr. and Mrs. Ross McFarland; Mrs. Gerald and Annie Currie; Mrs. J. C. McLean; Louise and Maxine Lar-

son; Bob and Marion Lukens. To Bethany Home for Children from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mason; Mrs. Arlie Patterson and family.

To the Cancer Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Edger Jones and family; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Barnes. To the Cemetery Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ramsey. To the United Church Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Harry Riley.

Heartly western hospitality in an unbroken tradition in the home of the world's biggest annual competitive frontier-days celebration, the world-famous Calgary Stampede.

### BROCK THEATRE

VIKING - ALBERTA  
SHOWS AT 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.

Saturday - Monday  
JUNE 8th and 10th

Funniest pair in pictures!  
Bob Keshman  
HOPE HEPPURN  
The Iron Petticoat  
STANLEY KRAMER

(Family Picture)

Tuesday - Wednesday  
JUNE 11th and 12th

Please note starting time—  
8:30 and 9:00.

Glennie Henderson  
Robert Blumkin  
Frank Sinatra  
Broderick Johnson  
Glennie Henderson  
Charles Blumkin  
NOT AS A STRANGER  
STANLEY KRAMER

(Adult Picture)

Thursday - Friday  
JUNE 13th and 14th

SPENCER TRACY  
ROBERT HANCOCK  
THE MOUNTAIN  
TECHNICOLOR  
VISTAVISION

The finest scenery ever produced in Vista Vision.  
Clear, wholesome story with no violence.  
(Family Picture)

KIEFER'S SHOWS  
at IRMA

Friday, June 7 8:40 p.m.  
"HOT SUMMER NIGHT"  
Colleen Miller, Leslie Nielsen  
Technicolor  
Friday, June 14  
—NO SHOW—  
Due to Hardisty Stampede.

### Weekly Inspirational Corner

(Sponsored by an Irma Times reader)

For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men. Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously and godly, in this present world; Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us, that He might redeem us from all iniquity and purify unto Himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works. Titus 2:11-14.



## To The People of the Federal Constituency Battle River-Camrose

This is the last in a series of advertisements designed to bring some of the points of Conservative policy to your attention. Shortly after this appears in print the people will decide who is to form the next federal government.

Conservatives hope that the vote will be for a change of direction in Canada's affairs, and that its leader, John Diefenbaker, will be called upon to lead that government.

No political party should work for any less than that.

In our opening message a few weeks ago we pointed out that the Conservative party is the only opposition party which has support in all regions of Canada, and from both language groups in Canada. This places upon the party and its supporters the responsibility of thinking through the problems faced by Canada as a whole. We cannot and must not be content with discussing a constituency's problems, or even with discussing a region's problems.

In the very short space of eight weeks we have tried to place before you the Conservative point of view on a variety of topics—our farm policy, inflation, national development, Senate reform, labor and trade. There has not been time to do more than this.

Conservatives believe that a federal election is one time when we must remember that we are part of a far-flung country which extends from coast to coast. We must remember that Battle River-Camrose is not just an "Alberta" constituency or even just a "western" constituency, but one of 285 constituencies which make up our country. Our constituency has its problems, but they are problems faced by dozens of constituencies in a number of provinces, and cannot be separated from national problems.

We must elect a national government. The Conservative party has as leader a man with years of experience in Canada's Parliament. The Conservative party has as candidate in Battle River-Camrose a man who knows Battle River-Camrose and its problems.

A vote for Cliff Smallwood will help to elect that national government.

(Sponsored by the Battle River-Camrose Progressive Conservative Association.)

## Vermilion Elks Newspaper Bingo

Prize—Boat, Motor, Trailer, and Camping Outfit or One Thousand Dollars Cash. Draw Saturday, June 1.

Draw No. 11—N34  
Draw No. 12—O63  
No. 13—B6  
No. 14—124  
No. 15—N34  
No. 16—O64  
No. 17—O66  
No. 18—B5  
No. 19—122  
No. 20—O72

Numbers to date:

B—1567  
I—222430  
G—24344143  
C—464951  
O—616364667072

Bingo cards are available for \$1.00 each from all places our posters are displayed or from any member of the Vermilion Elks Lodge.

## Jarrow News

Mrs. Lee Owen and daughter Lenore and Donna arrived from Montreal this week and are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen.

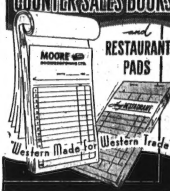
Mrs. G. Matthew, Judy and Arthur visited with Mrs. Stauffer at Tofield on Wednesday. Eddie Cruchet of the RCAF is home on a 30 day leave. He is stationed at Summerside, P.E.I.

Mr. Wm. Miller of Edmonton is a guest at the E. Brubaker home for a few days. He, with his family, lived in the Batt district for several years.

The Batt and Jarrow school children brought back several ribbons when they participated in the Games Meet at Irma last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McIlhinney and family of Provost were Sunday guests at the C. Sonnets.

## MOORE'S COUNTERSALES BOOKS



VIKING NEWS, Agent

## TOWN COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

Minutes of the regular monthly meeting of the Council of the Village of Irma held on the 3rd day of June, 1957, in the office of the secretary-treasurer at 8 p.m.

Councillors present, V. S. Sampson, C. P. Jones, sec.-treas. A. C. Charter. Mayor Jones presided.

Minutes of the last meeting of the Council held on the 8th day of May were read and on motion of Mr. Sampson were adopted as written.

Mr. Pendleton attended the meeting for adjustment on measurement of service line charged 26 ft. as against 19 ft. by Mr. Pendleton's measurement. Council decided to take the matter up with contractor for an adjustment.

Mr. Pendleton also requested the council to adjust water rate charged to his property on Highway 14 as he was using his own water system as well as Village system in the conduct of his business. Council adjusted rate to \$12.00 for water and \$5.00 for sewer until such time as Mr. Pendleton used the Village system entirely.

Petition from the ratepayers on Third Ave. West for the council to install street light was read. Moved by Mr. Sampson that the council make application to Calgary Power to install additional light on third ave. west.

Building permit was approved for Mr. James Ford to erect a new building on Main St. Lots 4 and 5 Block 7 Plan 1560W.

Bylaw No. 224 for the purpose of appointing Mr. Carl Anquist as fire marshal for the Village of Irma was introduced and passed first and second reading.

A. C. Charter was appointed enumerator for the purpose of preparing supplementary voters list for the Village of Irma 1957.

Re account from Gallilelli and Sons in the amount of \$48.00 for stock pile bulldozing on Knowles farm. Secretary instructed to write that the Council regarded this work performed as a courtesy in return for accommodation of the Village in supplying water for the camp.

Secretary also instructed to notify car owners on Main St. that such cars be not left parked on Main St. during the night. And that the Council also prohibit the pasturing of livestock on the fair grounds.

Secretary reported Assessment complete and returned as, Land, Buildings and Improvements \$414,500; Business Tax \$774.58. Court of Revision was provisionally set for July 2 at 7 p.m.

Estimates were then considered and Mill rate set for the year 1957.

Bylaw No. 225 setting forth the various rates for Municipal Education and Hospital was read first and second time. Rates decided on were Municipal levy 20M. Education 26M and Hospital 4M. \$1000 minimum Hospital Tax.

Financial statement, Balance end of previous month \$2870.55; Receipts for month \$1072.76; Disbursements \$242.08. Net balance May 31, \$3000.22. Savings account \$7210.69.

C. P. Jones moved that Financial Statement be accepted and that accounts due for payment amounting to \$4,323.43 be passed for payment.

Jones—adjourn.

## WITH THE District Agriculturist

By J. S. Duncan

### Insects on Trees

There have already been a lot of reports of insects attacking trees. So far it has been mostly aphids on Maple and Elm trees. However there are a lot of insects which attack evergreens and deciduous trees. Among these are the Spruce Sawfly, Spruce Spidermites, aphids of various kinds, Aspen Leaf Roller, Forest Tent Caterpillar and many others. Not all of these insects will kill trees but all of them do some damage. In most cases control is quite easy if a sprayer is available. There are several chemicals which work as Malathion, Lindane, Nicotine Sulphate and DDT are useful. For those insects which eat leaves, Chlordane, Aldrin, DDT, Derris compounds are effective. The earlier the treatment is done after the insects are seen the easier it is to control them. Just follow the directions for the product you are using. Remember not to use DDT when Spruce Spidermites are present as this insect thrives on this chemical.

### Farm Safety

Once again the newspapers are carrying stories of farmers being injured and killed in accidents with tractors and other farm equipment. We all tend to say "it can't happen to me," but the fact remains that it can. It may not happen the first time we are careless but it can happen any time. The only way to avoid this unpleasant possibility is to avoid taking chances. Be careful every time when driving a tractor; don't adjust machinery or try to refuel, oil or grease any machine that is in motion, keep children away from all tractors and machinery; don't carry passengers on a tractor;

## Glen-Coa Gleanings

Congratulations this week go to Mr. and Mrs. Don Mackay on the birth of a daughter on June 1. The Mackays are at Picture Butte at present, but expect to be moving north soon to Westlock.

Mr. O. Steffensen leaves New York on Friday, June 7, after visiting his brother Sigurd at Chicago for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson attended a cousin's wedding at Calgary last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. B. Gulbraa and Mr. and Mrs. E. Owen gave a hand with the children and chores, enabling them to get away.

Mr. Gordon Hollinger attended the wedding of Miss Erna Mills at Hanna last Saturday. Miss M. McKinnon of Elk Point accompanied him.

Those from our district attending the CLC alumni banquet last Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. R. Erickson, Mrs. O. Raasok, Erling Nilson, Della Symington and Orville Likness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Erickson also attended the CLC graduation exercises on Sunday, June 3. Mrs. Nilson, Mr. E. R. Erickson, Erling and Della accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Johnston of Edmonton visited the latter part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pedel last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Shaw

make sure that power take-off shields are in place at all times. None of these things will take much time and they can prevent accidents.

### Forage Machinery Field Day

A field day where machinery and methods of putting up hay and silage is being planned for June 27. This field day will be held on the Masson farm, east of Metislaw. Keep this date in mind and look for more information a little later on.

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**Viking News, Printers.**

of Edmonton also were down last week-end. They went on a fishing expedition with Mr. I. Sætre.

Sharon WMF will meet on Thursday, June 13, at the home of Mrs. P. Nilson.

We could do with a real old-fashioned three-day rain just about now. The gardens are struggling valiantly along but present rather a patchy appearance.

Sharon Luther League is preparing a special program for next Sunday evening, June 9, in honor of the anniversary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church.

## The C.C.F. Says

What does inflation mean to you? It means that your dollar today will buy only what 50c bought a few years ago. If you've a pension, insurance or war bonds the Liberal's removal of price controls robbed you of half your real money. Your income is half as big as it sounds. No wonder consumer's debts (1956) climbed to \$2,395,000,000 (Bank of Canada figures). The Liberals new "tight money" policy will increase the borrowers interest bill; it will make the dollar "dearer"; he will pay back his cheap dollars with dear ones. Farmer and labourer foot the bill for inflation and deflation. ONLY THE CCF ADVOCATES PRICE CONTROLS TO CURB EXCESSIVE PROFITS. Only in this way can farmer, worker and pensioner obtain their full share of Canada's great wealth.

## ROLSETH, Harold X

Inserted by the Battle River-Camrose CCF Constit. Ass'n.

**Spray Weeds Early**

It has been found that weeds do most damage, in competition with growing crops, during the early stages of growth. For this reason farmers usually plan to start spraying about June 1st or very shortly afterwards. In control of broad leaved weeds the choice lies between two types of spray, 2,4-D for wheat and barley, and MCP for oats, flax and legume crops. At the same time, MCP may be used for narrow leaved weeds such as green foxtail in flax. Whatever product is used, it is important to follow the instructions carefully.

**SEARLE GRAIN COMPANY, LTD.**

## WHY ALBERTA FARMERS ARE VOTING LIBERAL

### FARM REPRESENTATION

We farmers need more members on the government side of the Commons supporting our interests. At present there is not one practicing Alberta farmer at Ottawa.

### PRICE SUPPORTS

Liberal price supports on hogs, eggs, butter extended to poultry this year.

### WHEAT MARKETS

As farmers we know the Liberal government achievements:

- (1) Made Wheat Board the sole marketing agency.
- (2) Record wheat sales, growth of markets in Japan, Germany etc.
- (3) Wheat storage bill, already paying \$60,500,000 on carryover.

### FARM CREDIT

Special farm credit, sources: Canadian Farm Loan Board, Farm Improvement Loan Act, Prairie Grain Producers Interim Financing Act, amounting to \$199,200,000 to Alberta farmers alone.

### OTHER ASSISTANCE

• P.F.A.A.: \$44,800,000 to Alberta farmers.

• P.F.R.A.: \$49,000,000 spent in Alberta.

• Research: Experimental farms, science labs, new program of hail research this year, and nationwide land use study.

This advertisement inserted by the Alberta Federal Liberal Centre.

## IN BATTLE RIVER-CAMROSE CONSTITUENCY VOTE FOR HECKBERT, S. CARL X





## EDITORIALS

### HOW TO VOTE ON JUNE 10

(From The Organized Farmer)

The next four years are not going to be easy ones for farmers. The problems of grain surpluses; the cost price squeeze; switches in production; to name only a few, will be with us during these years. At the end of four years we could be on our way to the kind of agriculture the farm union wants, or we could have slipped even further down the depression slide. Which way we go depends upon us as individual farmers, on our farm organizations, and on the government that Canadians elect on June 10.

As Alberta farmers we won't have too much to say about who forms the next government. We will elect about the same number of members as the city of Toronto. For this reason it is of the utmost importance that we make sure that we elect the best possible men.

You have had an opportunity to hear your candidates speak at the FUA Forums. If you haven't availed yourself of this opportunity you are not fulfilling your duty as a Canadian citizen, and don't deserve any sympathy if you get into trouble.

The man you should vote for is the one who has studied the farm problem and knows the difficulties involved. Find out what his background has been. Has he ever done anything for farmers in the past or has his concern for farmers developed in the last few weeks? Beware of glib promises that mean nothing. Find out exactly what each candidate means when he talks about price supports and parity prices. Don't buy any deal that, on the face of it, is impossible—we are living not in a dream world, but one of stark reality.

I am not afraid of government by Liberals, by Conservatives, by Social Creditors, or by the C.C.F., but I am desperately afraid of government by fools. See that you don't vote on June 10.

## Average Weather For June in Alberta

(From Country Guide)

Our dry weather will be recorded over the province. Only the mountainous areas of Central Alberta will receive more than normal precipitation. Most of the precipitation occurring will be contained in the three storm periods noted. The interval between the 15th and 25th will be very favorable for outside work, with little precipitation and generally normal temperatures. Alberta will be quite cool for this time of year. Only one warm interval of significance appears, and it will be more than offset by the cooler periods. Temperature during the first cooler interval will drop precipitously close to freezing, but the cooler interval toward the end of the month will not be nearly as extreme. June, 1957 will contrast considerably with the same month last year when warm and wet conditions were experienced over the entire province.

## Curly Gurloch to Appear At Hardisty Sat., June 8

On Saturday, June 8, North America's number one disc jockey, (Western) will be in Hardisty, Alta. Mr. Curly Gurloch, heard daily from "Curly's Corner" over radio station CICA, Edmonton, will be spinning the discs from this thriving "stampede" town, for his weekly four hour show. This program will be sponsored by the Hardisty Stampede Association and the local business men in order to inform CICA's listening audience of all the exciting and entertaining events in store for them at one of Canada's top Rodeos, "The Hardisty Stampede" which will take place the following Friday and Saturday, June 14 and 15. The Association takes pride in making Hardisty the first town in Central Alberta to host this popular western program.

## A TIMES WANT ADV. PAYS

### Life's Darkest Moment



## Andrew Hammer Passed Away

Andrew Hammer, a long time resident of Kinross district, passed away early Monday morning in his room in the Kinross Hotel. For some months he had been suffering from heart trouble.

Funeral services will be held from the Golden Valley Lutheran Church, Viking, on Wednesday, June 5, at 2 p.m.

Modern pools and clear, spring fed lakes beckon the swimming enthusiasts, while many of the sturdier souls spend long hours riding or hiking along scenic mountain or prairie trails of Alberta.



## SEEDTIME AND HARVEST

By R. J. Macdonald, Editor, Western Farmer Service, Lethbridge, Alberta.

### LET'S NOT FORGET

The Great Plains area of the United States is suffering from one of the worst drought periods in its history. In many regions, the situation has become desperate because in recent years crop growth has been insufficient to produce a protective trash cover.

A Warning. During the past decade's favorable moisture conditions have permitted most prairie farmers to produce an abundance of crop residue to protect their soils. Unfortunately, this period of "wet years" has lulled many farmers into a false sense of security. In driving across the prairie last fall, it was alarming to observe the absence of a protective trash cover on so many summerfallow fields. Even in those districts that suffered most severely in the dry years of the 1930's, and where a few years ago, every scrap of crop residue was utilized as a trash cover, thousands of acres are now being left exposed to the destructive effects of strong winds and heavy rainfalls. No one can say, of course, that the drought now gradually spreading northward from Texas will reach the Prairie Provinces. On the other hand, no one can say that it will not. We do know, however, that drought periods are natural to this country. Consequently it is fool-hardy for prairie farmers to forget the heart-breaking lessons of the "thirties." We just cannot afford to leave our fields bare and exposed to the ravages of crop erosion.

Trash Protection. Crop residues when properly used, provide much needed protection to the soil. They not only shield the soil from wind and rain but return to it the all-important organic matter so necessary to good soil structure and high productivity. A trash cover keeps little, but in protecting our prairie soils against wind and water erosion "it is worth its weight in gold."

Let's not forget, severe droughts have occurred in this country. What is now happening in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas can happen here. We must protect our prairie soils.



## KNOW YOUR Canada

Prepared by the Research Staff of the ENCYCLOPEDIA CANADIANA

### Where was Canada's first Red Cross Town?

Two strips of red fabric cotton-stitched on a white square flew over a horse-drawn ambulance during the Northwest Rebellion in 1885. The flag, now in the John Ross Robertson Collection of the Toronto Public Library, was prepared by "Surg-Major" G. C. Ross. He later became a major-general and also served as chairman of the first Red Cross organization in Canada.

### What is the Allan Cup?

Since 1910, the Allan Cup has been emblematic of supremacy among Canadian amateur hockey teams. It was presented by Sir Hugh Montagu Allan, a Montreal ship owner and financier. Originally named the "Allan Cup," he assumed the name Montagu in place of Andrew to prevent confusion with his cousin. Also a noted sportsman, he was president of the Montreal Jockey Club and his horses won the Queen's Plate, the Montreal Hunt Club, and the Andrew Phillips. He was Honorary Colonel of the Black Watch in Canada, and was knighted in 1904. He died in 1951.

### Who was known as the "grasshopper" governor?

Alexander McDonnell gained the nickname of the "grasshopper" governor because during his regime as governor of Assiniboia 1818 to 1822, the colony was plagued with swarms of grasshoppers. He had been sheriff of the Red River Colony from 1815 to 1816, before assuming governorship of the colony. He was appointed governor upon becoming Lord Selkirk's agent.

### Who was the Apostle to the Micmacs?

Pierre Maillard came to the Royale—now Cape Breton—in 1755. For more than 25 years he ministered to the Indians in the northern part of Nova Scotia and in Prince Edward Island. He was deported after the fall of Louisbourg in 1745, but returned in 1746 to Acadia, where he was active in the events preceding the Expulsion of Acadians from the peninsula.

### Who united the Co-operative movement in Canada?

An English-born journalist named George Keen is credited with forming the Co-operative Union of Canada in 1906. He remained general secretary of the union until 1943. He was widely known as editor of the Canadian Co-operator, which was the oldest co-operative organ on the continent when it ceased publication in 1947. His memoirs, *Birth of a Movement*, were published in 1950 when he died at his home in Brantford, Ontario, in 1953.

### Who was Abram Kean?

Abram Kean was a noted sealer who commanded ships in the springtime seal industry for 47 years and brought in more than 1,000,000 seals during his career. In 1916 he set a record by bringing back in his ship 46,461 seals weighing 1,106 tons. Born in Newfoundland, he served as a member of the assembly and was created M.B.E. Kean, who died in 1945, wrote an autobiography entitled *Old and Young Aboard: A Millionaire in Seals*. How did the game of lacrosse get its name?

The game was so-named by early French settlers because of a similarity between the curved, webbed sticks used by the players and a bishop's crozier or "la crosse." Said to be the oldest organized sport in America, lacrosse is Canadian in origin. A form of lacrosse, called baggawey, was played by Indians long before Europeans arrived. Although it has lost to hockey and football its former place as the most popular Canadian sport—it was referred to as Canada's national game—lacrosse still is very popular in some parts of the country and in other lands. Practically all of the lacrosse sticks in use were made at the St. Regis Indian Reserve near Cornwall, Ont.

### What was a horse-boat?

A horse-boat was a vessel for which motive power was provided by horses. The power was applied to a paddle-wheel. Horse-boats were used on the Niagara River as early as 1760. These boats varied from two to five "horse power." A horse-boat was in use as a ferry between Toronto and Toronto Island as late as 1860, when it was replaced by a steamer.

### The whole province of Alberta is an excellent hunting ground for ducks, geese and upland birds. Later in the season deer, moose, elk, beaver and mountain goat are all fair game for the huntmen's rifle.

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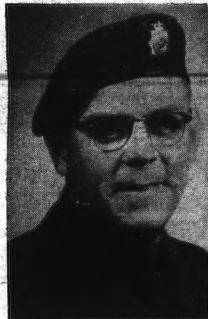
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THE CHARTERED BANKS SERVING YOUR COMMUNITY

Barbara Lois Filmore of Winnipeg has become the first non-Registered Nurse to graduate as a stewardess for Trans-Canada Air Lines. TCA recently relaxed its Registered Nurse qualifications because of a shortage of eligible trainees and Miss Filmore was the first to be accepted. She took a four week training course in Montreal and went on line duty immediately. Miss Filmore was born in Winnipeg and attended Gordon Bell High School. She was employed with various Winnipeg firms as a secretary before joining TCA.

## Canadian statistics report

(A Weekly Review)

**Prices:** The consumer price index rose 0.3 percent during March to reach a new peak of 120.9 at April 1, making a twelve-month rise of 3.7 percent. Three of the sub-indices—food, clothing and other commodities and services—moved up in the month to raise the overall index; shelter was unchanged and household operation fractionally lower. In contrast, the index number of industrial material prices at wholesale declined 0.4 percent in the four weeks from March 29 to April 26. Farm product prices at terminal markets during this period, however, moved upward, with gains for both animal and field products.

**Transportation:** Railway carloadings dropped sharply in the week ending April 21 to leave the cumulative total over 7 percent below last year at 1,114,448 cars. A new Bureau monthly report shows the volume of freight carried by foreign and coastwise shipping services in January amounted to 3,557,680 tons, 2,403,865 tons being shipped in foreign service. Passenger numbers on inter-city and rural bus lines fell off again in February, but revenue improved.

**Manufacturing:** March shipments by manufacturers had an estimated value of \$1,807,417,000, which is 2.6 percent higher than a year earlier but under the gain of 3 percent for the quarter. Total inventory at the month's end was over 11 percent above last year and unfilled orders nearly 4 percent higher. Motor vehicle shipments to the end of March were over 26,000 units larger than last year, most of the gain being in passenger cars. April output, however, was down nearly 10,000 units. Pig iron production was up 11 percent to the end of April, and steel ingots some 5 percent.

**Household:** Census of 153 provinces had 523,947 in June, 1956 than 1951, a slightly larger increase than the population rise. Numbers were larger in all provinces, Ontario leading in percentage as well as numerical gains.

**Housing:** New dwelling units started in the first quarter this year totaled an estimated 7,769, just slightly more than half as numerous as last year, when the number completed was about 1,000 fewer at 24,637. Building permits issued in February totaled \$78,968,000, residential accounting for \$34,521,000 against \$44,447,000 non-residential.

### FORCE OF GRAVITY

The force of gravity, which determines how much we weigh, is less the further south we go, until the equator is crossed, then starts up again.

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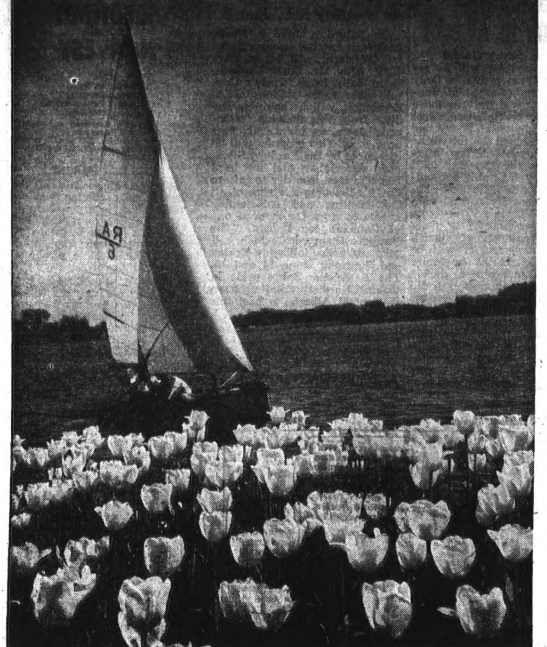
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A MILLION TULIPS are now bursting into bloom as Canada's Capital City marks its fifth Annual Canadian Tulip Festival. The tulips, in huge masses along Ottawa's famed Driveway, in front of the Parliament Buildings, on parks and around famous public buildings, will bloom from now to the end of May. Pictured above is a bed of white tulips beside Dow's Lake, a part of the Rideau Canal system.

## Quebec Natural Gas Financing

(Contributed by Houston, Willoughby &amp; Co. Ltd.)

As indicated previously, financing for Quebec Natural Gas Corporation was around the corner. These securities have now been disposed of to Quebec residents in the main, and consisted of \$20 million 5 1/2% subordinated debentures and \$8 million (800,000 shares) of common stock. The debenture stock units were offered at a price of \$140 for each \$100 of debentures plus 4 common shares, in respect to the common shares, two shares can be detached and sold no earlier than May 20th, and not later than July 16th, 1957. The remaining two shares can be detached and sold no earlier than October 1st, 1958, and no later than January 1st, 1960. Following the offering, the debentures and common stock units went as high as \$174-\$178. In addition to the units of debentures and common shares, \$20 million of first mortgage bonds due 1980 were sold, divided \$12,500,000 of 6% bonds in Canada and the balance of \$7,500,000 5 1/2% bonds in the United States.

The prospectus shows that the company is to acquire the gas production and distribution facilities of Hydro-Quebec for approximately \$39,100,000 subject to certain adjustments and contingent liabilities. It is estimated it will cost \$14,500,000 for conversion of the present gas system of Hydro-Quebec to the distribution of natural gas. Supplies of gas will be originally secured from Tennessee Gas Transmission Co. by way of Niagara and Toronto but by the close of 1959 it is anticipated that gas will be drawn from the Trans-Canada Pipelines System which should be finished from Alberta by that time.

**City of Montreal**  
The Executive Committee of the City of Montreal needs to borrow \$18 million. It is intended to examine an approach to market with an issue as soon as possible. Proceeds from the borrowing will be applied to the re-payment of temporary borrowing for a varied list of public works, which have been completed and paid for in recent months.

**Great Lakes Power Corporation**  
A new issue of \$5 million of Great Lakes Power Corporation 5 1/2% debentures carrying shares purchase warrants was announced the middle of the present week.

These debentures are to mature May 16th, 1977, and are priced at \$100 to yield 5.75%. Each \$1,000 debenture will carry share purchase warrants permitting the purchase of 15 common shares of the company up to May 15th, 1959, at \$23 per share. From May 16th, 1959, 1961 the warrant will permit the purchase of 15 common shares at \$25 and this rises each 2 years between 1961 and 1967 and at an increasing rate of \$2.00 with each price change. As the common stock has been ranging around \$22-\$23, these warrants would appear to carry some attractive possibilities. Great Lakes Power Corporation Ltd. pro-

## Seven out of ten hunters got a deer last season

Once again the Kootenays turned out to be the most favored hunting spot in B.C. according to the report of Game Commission biologist Glen Smith. About seven out of ten hunters got at least one deer during the season in both East and West Kootenays. Grouse and duck harvest was also up for the 12,000 hunters, about 6,000 in each of the two Kootenays. It is hoped to get a more complete breakdown of the hunting harvest for the Boundary zone. The Gazette, Grand Forks, B.C.

**Cheaper Money?**  
U.S. Treasury Bills: On Tuesday the result of the United States Government weekly Treasury Bill auction was announced at an average of 3.054%. This compared with the previous week figure of 3.194%. While it will take some time to see whether this is a reversal of the trend, it at least is an interesting possibility that is presented. Meanwhile in Canada, it has been rather noteworthy that Dominion Government mid-term issues have been somewhat weaker, selling off from 1/4 to 1/2 1/4% in a number of the maturities between the Victory Loan 3's of 1960 down to the Victory Loan 3's of 1968. Also that 2 1/2% Government of Canada issue due June 15th, 1967-68 was quoted on the 24th instant at \$85 1/2, bid \$86 1/4, asked as compared with \$86 1/2 bid and \$87 asked recently.

It seems more than possible that some large investors holding Dominion of Canada bonds are willing to take a book loss represented by selling at these levels in order to buy long term New Corporation issues which probably have some time of warrant or bonus of common shares attached plus high coupon rates which make them particularly attractive at this time. **Fortcoming issues**  
The rumour is that Canadian Dyno Uranium may place an issue of \$9 1/2 million 6% bonds due May 1st, 1963, each \$1,000 bond carrying 60 shares of common stock as a bonus and to be priced at \$90 and interest.

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## 200 Wells at Midale

Still most highly regarded from a point of view of proven reserves Midale oil field has just reached another major point in its development with the completion on April 8 of its 200th oil well.

Listed as the 200th well is the Husky-McMac No. 13-34 located in the northeast corner of the field. It is one of a group of successful outposts ventures that have been drilled in that same area.

The well is located five miles northeast of Shell Oil's original A-7-8 discovery well.

While the Midale field has reached the 200-well mark, the Steilman field where drilling operations were concentrated last fall and winter, now has a total of 266 wells capable of production. It is the largest field in southeastern Saskatchewan at the present time. The Mercury, Estevan, Sask.—April 25, 1957.

## SASK. ROUGHRIDERS PLACEMENT BOOZER DELUXE



REG WHITEHOUSE

It was Saskatchewan's gain and Montreal's loss when Reg Whitehouse joined the Riders six years ago. Only 24 years old, Reg enjoyed his highest season last year when he was named the most valuable Canadian player on the Rider roster and was picked by fans to play in the annual East-West Shrine all-star game. An excellent running guard and a top-notch defensive lineman as well, Reg earned most of his plaudits in the game with his educated toe. Reg finished fourth in the Western Conference scoring race last year and he was the leading point-getter among honoree players in the league. Now making his home in Regina, Reg is a six-footer weighing 210 pounds.

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## Chlorination plans in Kinnaird okayed

Plans for the chlorination equipment for the Kinnaird water system have been approved by Dr. C. MacKenzie, Director of the West Kootenay Health Unit, and have been forwarded to the Provincial Department of Health in Victoria, for checking and final approval. This information was given to the Kinnaird Commissioners by Commissioner F. G. Warner at the regular Monday night meeting in the Village Office. No orders for equipment will be placed until word is received from Victoria.

The News, Castlegar, B.C.—April 1, 1957.

In colonial days in Boston, a candidate for governor of Massachusetts had to be a "Christian worth 1,000 pounds."

—Eaton Mercury photo.

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## Viking Curling Club And Viking Legion Newspaper Car Bingo

Numbers drawn on Saturday, June 1 were: B13, G58 and O68.  
B — 2 9 13 14  
N — 16 21 22 23 26 30  
G — 31 33 35 37 38 39 40 44  
O — 45  
G — 47 51 52 54 55 57 58 59  
O — 60  
O — 61 62 64 66 68 72

Most business men in Viking have cards to sell.

In Kinsella see Barker and Brown, George Patterson or Curly Lodes.

In Jarrow see Carl Soneff. In Irma see Larry Meiers.

## Alliance Lions' Club Newspaper Car Bingo

Numbers drawn Friday, May 31 were:  
Draw No. 45, G57; Draw No. 46, B14.

Check list of all numbers:  
B — 1 4 5 8 9 10 11 13 14 15  
N — 16 18 19 20 21 27 28 30  
G — 32 34 38 40 41 42 43 45  
O — 46 47 49 50 51 54 56 57 59  
O — 62 63 64 67 68 69 71 72 73 74 75

Bingos left to win: Outside Square and Blackout. There are still a few tickets available. A "blackout" could be among those unsold tickets. Get yours now.

Bingo cards at \$2.00 each are available from The Viking News and Solmes Hafez, Viking. Barker and Brown, Kinsella. Larry Meier, Irma.

The Viking CWL are holding their annual picnic at the J. F. Rozmabell farm on Sunday, June 9. Dinner served at 12:30. In case of rain, dinner will be served in the Viking Community Hall.

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## Kinsella-News

Mrs. and Mrs. Art Miles are very grateful to the following kind neighbors who came with their tractors and equipment to their farm and put in their crop, namely Messrs. Ed Hogg, Gordon Squair, Lamin Dobry, Gordon Lancaster, Laurie McBride and Harvey Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Astley of the Willowview district and Mr. Astley's aunt, Mrs. E. Linn of Pentiction, B.C., were Saturday visitors at the home of Mrs. C. Powell.

Mr. A. H. Locke of Edmonton is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Simmons.

Billy Lancaster spent the week-end with his school friend Jamie Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Horinek and family and Miss Marlene Brook attended the graduation of Marvin Horinek at Camrose Lutheran College on Sunday, June 4. There were 64 graduates. The largest graduating class the college has had.

Mr. W. Millar who was a long time resident in the Kinsella district, now living in Edmonton was visiting old acquaintances here on Saturday.

The Kinsella school gymnasium which is under construction is progressing rapidly and will be a fine addition to the school when finished.

Kinsella and district extend their sincere sympathy to the Hammer family on the death of Mr. A. Hammer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Beschell and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Beschell.

The neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. J. Beschell, namely Messrs. J. McKie, Leif Pederson and the Long brothers, put in the spring crop of Mr. Beschell, who has been ill and not able to do it. The family wish to thank them.

Donations to Kinsella United Church Memorial Improvement Fund in memory of Mr. S. Simmons from Mr. and Mrs. W. Revell, Mrs. R. Cornack, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cornack and family, Mrs. R. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. J. McKie and boys, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hodgins.

To Kinsella Sunday School from Mr. and Mrs. C. Horinek and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. Daugherty.

To the choir from Mr. and Mrs. B. Armitage and family. The W.A. will meet on Thursday in the United Church at 2:30 p.m.

## Echo - Rodino

Miss Shirley Nash is home with her parents keeping vigil over her tiny brother who is seriously ill in hospital.

The Becketts attended the A Cappella choir concert in the Brock Theatre in Viking Sunday evening. A most talented group of young singers.

Mr. Fred Paget is in hospital in the city.

Mr. Ross Astley received news of the passing of his aunt who had been ill for some time.

Mrs. M. Windfield, E. Campbell and R. Vandervaele attended the Annual Deane Conference in Edgerton on Monday.

Under the management of Able Winfield, a cropping bee was held for Frank Nash who has been ill all spring. A total of 70 acres were worked and seeded with an additional 30 acres of summerfallow cultivated. Five ladies served a pot luck dinner and lunch to the following men and youths: A. Winfield, L. Martin, W. Pocock, T. Paget, W. Macfarlane, W. Revell, Tom Winfield, G. Nash, Ken Nash, N. White, L. Whitten, R. Astley, H. Vandervaele, H. Johnston, J. Brady and Frankie Nash.

Mrs. Vandervaele Sr. of Manville still has heart in the hills and sent out a quantity of groceries towards the dinner.

Marvin Crouse has been visiting his pal Bill Hardy.

Linda, Texas and Lawrence Hollar enjoyed a trip to the city Wednesday with their folks to attend a horse sale.

The older children of the Albert school assembled for a Games Meet in Irma Friday. The younger students had a holiday. The senior class are rejecting over bringing home the shield.

## News Report from Edmonton

By Ken Mason

EDMONTON—Could it be a coincidence that Premier Manning chose this particular time to announce the largest single public debt reduction in Alberta's history?

Surely the forthcoming federal election and the fact that news of the big debt payment will filter down east time enough to do with the timing of the announcement.

Whether there are political implications or not, the fact remains that Alberta is out of debt to the tune of \$51,421,000—the largest amount any province has been able to chip off its indebtedness at a single blow.

The action leaves Alberta with a total debt of only \$30,817,607, which is more than balanced by cash reserves, liquid assets and investments worth well over \$200,000,000. More than ever before, Alberta can claim debt-free status.

According to the premier, the debenture debt repayment is made up of \$2,721,000 in bonds that matured June 1, and another \$48,700,000 in bonds purchased through the years from the province's special investment funds.

Social Credit was even able to make a profit out of this highly orthodox monetary transaction. At the time of purchase the bonds were worth \$47,817,627, leaving a profit of \$1,082,372 by cashing them in now.

The remaining indebtedness is made up of \$21,218,200 in outstanding debentures and \$9,589,407 in treasury bills owing to the federal government. The province has followed a policy of reducing the public debt annually, but this is the biggest reduction in any year.

Premier Manning wouldn't snap at the bait when asked if there was any particular reason for making the repayment at this particular time. He said only that the money was available for the repayment, and this is as good a time as any.

While the action may be of political value to the Social Credit cause, it also could provide ammunition for opposition political parties, although it isn't a provincial election that's being fought right now.

But opponents of Social Credit may revive the claim that the Alberta government is reducing its own debt at the expense of municipalities. Certainly municipal debt in the province is rising while the provincial debt is being reduced.

Edmonton's total debt recently topped the \$100,000,000 mark, and the total municipal debt in the province stands around \$194,000,000.

Possibly anticipating criticism, Premier Manning answered the questions last week at a political meeting, the same day he announced the huge debt reduction.

He said the greater part of the municipal debt is owing to the provincial government, which means in effect that the people owe it to themselves. Under the provincial program of lending money to municipalities for capital works, the money circulates within the province and doesn't get into the hands of outside financiers.

He admitted municipal debt has grown, but said this is due to the terrific increase in population. On the other hand, he pointed out under the government lending program all but three towns in Alberta have sewer and water, and more than half of the villages enjoy these privileges.

As we pointed out earlier, this is a federal election, but provincial issues keep on cropping up as the other parties make a determined bid to strip Social Credit of some of its power.

Don't be surprised if before too long those Alberta pink cards will be acceptable in B.C. and Manitoba.

Those two provinces have motor vehicle financial responsibility laws similar to those in Alberta, and talks are progressing toward a reciprocal agreement. Manitoba has said there will be no agreement until all three provinces require the same minimum public liability and property damage insurance.

Alberta is doubling the minimum amounts, but they don't come into effect for a year. However, officials are hopeful that the three provinces can get together before that. At present, any Alberta motorist visiting Manitoba or B.C. must obtain pink cards from those provinces.



A TIMES WANT ADV. PAYS

## Father's Day SUNDAY, JUNE 16

Yes sir, once a year Father has his day. Good old Pa. The best there is. We all think so. Sure he gets cranky some times and out of sorts sometimes, and perhaps even sometimes gives us a licking, but in most cases we deserve it. On his day, please Ma, let him be boss, he should wear the pants one day a year. Speaking of pants, have you seen the many articles on display for Pa on his day. Shirts by Arrow, Tee Shirts by Pennans and Turnbulls, Belts by Hickok and many other popular name products. Make Pa happy on his day with any of these items. They are things he'll remember every time he puts them on. REMEMBER FATHER ON HIS DAY, SUNDAY, JUNE 16th.

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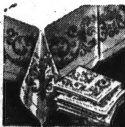


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## Local News

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. H. Larson's last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leck of Edmonton.

The Afternoon Group of the W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Hutchinson on Thursday, June 13. Devotionals, Mrs. McRoberts, Hostesses, Mrs. E. Fenton and Mrs. Coffin. Topic, Mrs. Alex Smallwood.

Mrs. J. Pond returned from the coast on Thursday of last week. We are glad to know that her mother Mrs. Fong was well enough to return to Irma with her.

Mrs. C. L. Currie and Mrs. H. Riley went to Edmonton on Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law Mr. Wm. Brickman who passed away following a lengthy illness at the University hospital on Monday.

Mr. A. G. Milne is enjoying a short holiday at the coast. Dick McRoberts is caring for the elevator during his absence.

Building operations on a second UGG elevator have begun.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. White of Vancouver and the latter's sister Mrs. J. Fenton of Wainwright were recent visitors at the M. Enger, E. Fenton and S. Fenton homes.

To the United Church Fund in memory of Robert Glasgow from Bill, Julia, Wallace, Margaret and Joyce.

Mrs. Henrietta Weaver of Victoria, B.C., left for Amisk last Friday after spending a week with her brother Mr. Art Gwinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Terry of Edmonton spent the weekend at the Art Gwinn home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Smallwood and family, Mrs. Tripp and Donald McKay motored to Hanna for the week-end to attend the double wedding of Miss Erna Mills, R.N., and Mr. T. W. Holliday and Miss Elinor Olson, R.N. and Mr. John Holliday on Saturday, June 1.

To the Bethany Home for Children in memory of Robert Glasgow from Mr. and Mrs. W. Pedel; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sanders and family; To the Cancer Fund from Miss A. and Mr. J. Donoghue; To the WMS from Mr. and Mrs. K. Coffin.

Mrs. Sarah Cameron, a former Irma resident and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leck, all of Edmonton, visited with friends here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Goodale and small son of Hamilton, Ont. are visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. J. Burrell left on Monday morning for a month's visit with relatives in Great Falls, Montana.

Mrs. G. Hockett, Darlene and Dennis were week-end visitors in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Barber of Innisfree were guests at the Barber and Prosser homes on Sunday.

If you have anything to sell or trade, try a Times Want Ad. It will bring results.



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## Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 PUBLIC NOTICE OF A BYLAW

Public Notice is hereby given that there has been introduced in the Council of the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 a Bylaw.

### BYLAW 551

A Bylaw of the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 authorizing an expenditure of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of implementing an agreement for the construction and operation of a Seed Cleaning Plant, under the authority of Section 251 of the Municipal Districts Act 1954 as amended and pursuant to Section 12 of the Agricultural Service Board Act being Chapter 19 of the Statute of Alberta.

WHEREAS: The Council of the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 deem it expedient to enter into an agreement with the Department of Agriculture, Government of the Province of Alberta and an Association to be known as a Seed Cleaning Plant Association for the construction and operation of a Seed Cleaning Plant, in or at a site bounding or adjacent to the Town of Wainwright, Province of Alberta.

AND WHEREAS: It is to be understood that the Association as referred to above, will by the way of the sale of shares raise a similar sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars and the Government of the Province will by the way of a grant extend a further similar amount of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars.

AND WHEREAS: The sum of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars is required from the Municipal District's funds towards the financing of the project.

THEREFORE: The Council of the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 enacts as follows:

1. That is shall be lawful for the Council of the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 to enter into an agreement with the Department of Agriculture, Government of the Province of Alberta and the said Seed Cleaning Plant Association for the construction and operation of a Seed Cleaning Plant.

2. That the Reeve and Treasurer of the said Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 be and are hereby authorized to sign and countersign a cheque payable to the said Seed Cleaning Plant Association for the amount of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars when said Seed Cleaning Plant Association shows an authenticated bank balance of an amount not less than Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars and when the said agreement is duly completed.

DONE AND PASSED IN Council assembled this 9th Day of May A.D. 1957.

Its Reading 9th May 1957, 2nd Reading 9th May 1957.

And that a copy of the same may be seen in each of the following places:

Jarrow General Store, Jarrow, Alberta; Irma Pool Room, Irma, Alta.; Office William Masson Esquire, Irma, Alta.; Red and White Store, Fabryan, Alta.; Municipal Office No. 61, Wainwright, Alta.; Buckles Hardware Store, Wainwright, Alta.; Wainwright Library, Wainwright, Alta.; Capital Barber Shop, Wainwright, Alta.; White Grocery Store, Greenhills, Alta.; Health General Store, Health, Alta.; Edgerton Co-op Store, Edgerton, Alta.; Edgerton Drug Store, Edgerton, Alta.; Red and White Store, Ribstone, Alta.; Sakara Store, Chauvin, Alta.; Red and White Store, Chauvin, Alta.

And further that unless within thirty days from the publication of this notice at least ten percent of the proprietary electors of the Municipal District petition the Council to submit such Bylaw to the vote of the proprietary electors of the Municipal District, the Council will proceed to consider and if it thinks fit, to pass the same.

Please govern yourselves accordingly.

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